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### I. Financial Aid

# UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS (KA) INTERNATIONAL STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS



The University of Kansas offers a generous scholarship that is facilitated in cooperation with the Institute of International Education (IIE). The KU-IIE Undergraduate Tuition Scholarship is a highly competitive, renewable, merit-based scholarship valued at approximately \$23,000/year for up to four years. Students must have outstanding academic profiles and demonstrated leadership ability. The scholarship is awarded to international students who are applying from outside the U.S. and who will be entering the U.S. in F-1 or J-1 status for the fall semester.

For more information, please visit: <a href="http://bit.ly/194bJ2A">http://bit.ly/194bJ2A</a>









### BRYANT UNIVERSITY (RI) MERIT BASED SCHOLARSHIPS

Last year Bryant University gave \$10 million in scholarship and grants to incoming students. Wouldn't you like to be a part of it this year? Bryant's Merit Scholarships range from \$8,000 to \$30,000 and require no additional applications, essay or requirements. The amount of the scholarship is based on a student's academic and extra-curricular achievements. Award notifications are sent with your offer letter so you will be able to make an educated decision for your future!

For more information, please visit: <a href="http://bit.ly/1eTvSNB">http://bit.ly/1eTvSNB</a>



### CREIGHTON UNIVERSITY (NE) INTERNATIONAL STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS



Nationally recognized for providing a challenging and balanced educational experience, the Creighton University offers a rigorous

academic agenda with a broad range of disciplines, providing more than 7,700 undergraduate, graduate and professional students with degree programs that emphasize education of the whole person. The university offers merit-based scholarships to international students. Scholarship recipients demonstrate outstanding academic achievement and potential, community involvement, and embody the Jesuit ideals.

Matteo Ricci, S.J. Awards range up to 50% of tuition costs. International freshman and transfer applicants will be considered for Ricci Awards if they submit a completed application prior to March 1. No additional application is required.

A limited number of World Scholar Awards may be offered each year to outstanding international freshman applicants. These awards can cover up to 75% of the cost of tuition. An interview is required to be considered for World Scholar Awards. Students must submit a completed application no later than January 15 to be considered for this scholarship.

For more information, please visit: <a href="http://bit.ly/1gcsyAk">http://bit.ly/1gcsyAk</a>



### TROY UNIVERSITY (AL) INTERNATIONAL STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS

Troy University offers a limited number of full and partial scholarships to international students with exceptionally high academic achievements. These scholarships are only available to first year undergraduate (freshman) students entering Troy University with the intent to obtain at least a four year bachelor's degree. Students must fulfill all regular undergraduate requirements as well as one of the two elite requirements listed below:



The Millennium Scholar's Award (full scholarship: tuition, room and board): Requirements are 31 ACT and/or 1380\* SAT 1 and high school Grade Point Average (GPA) equal to an American 3.7 GPA (4.0 scale).

The Chancellor's Award (full tuition): Requirements are 27 ACT and/or 1220\* SAT 1 and high school Grade Point Average (GPA) equal to an American 3.5 GPA (4.0 scale).

Both scholarships may be renewed every year that the student attends Troy University and completes the following requirements: Students must maintain full-time status and accumulate a minimum GPA of 3.3 (The Millennium Scholar's) or 3.0 (The Chancellor's Award).

For more information, please visit: <a href="http://bit.ly/KioY5H">http://bit.ly/KioY5H</a>



## UNIVERSITY OF TOLEDO (OH) INTERNATIONAL STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS

Are you an international student with a 3.0 GPA?

The University of Toledo can offer you \$9,120 in scholarships per year!

The University of Toledo's International Student Scholarship is offered to new undergraduate international students who are entering the university who have a minimum grade point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale (or equivalent). The scholarship covers the out of state surcharge, valued at \$9,120 for the 2013-14 academic year. Students must be academically admissible to receive this award.

To apply today, go to https://discover.utoledo.edu/.

Email vincent.schiavone@utoledo.edu with any guestions!

For more information, please visit: <a href="http://bit.ly/1d17aJ0">http://bit.ly/1d17aJ0</a>











### **II. Campus News**

# SOUTH DAKOTA STATE UNIVERSITY (SD) GIVES INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS OPPORTUNITY TO DEMONSTRATE CULTURE

SDSU International Night offers opportunity for students to demonstrate culture

More than 400 campus and community members celebrated SDSU International Night Nov. 17. Sponsored by SDSU International Affairs and the International Relations Council, International Night is held to bring individuals together to appreciate the traditions of other cultures and the international individuals who make up the community. More than 550 students and scholars from more than 70 countries currently reside in the SDSU and larger Brookings community.

The night kicked off with a parade of nations featuring individual students showcasing the flags from their home countries. Dinner was served and included a variety of international dishes such as raita, egg pancake, potato and cauliflower curry, Moroccan chicken and biryani.

The cultural program included a Nepali rock band, a Chinese comedian, educational presentations, a step dance routine by the Black Student Alliance, a group of Bollywood dancers, a Spanish soloist, and cultural dances of China, Sri Lanka, Spain and India. The program concluded with a fashion show, showcasing cultural dress from India to China, South America to Europe.

For more information, please visit: <a href="http://bit.ly/1gyveFJ">http://bit.ly/1gyveFJ</a>







## UNIVERSITY OF SAN FRANCISCO (CA) OPENS REGISTRATION FOR INTENSIVE ENGLISH PROGRAM



Study English in San Francisco... one of the most innovative and diverse cities in the world!

Registration Now Open

Session A: May 19 - June 27, 2014 Session B: June 30 - August 8, 2014

**Program Features:** 

Preparation for academic and professional activities in U.S. culture Educational field trips to San Francisco sites
Quality faculty with master's and Ph.D.'s
Small classes and individual attention
Access to USF facilities and events
On-campus housing (dormitories)

For more information, please visit: http://bit.ly/188yast



# PITTSBURG STATE UNIVERSITY (KS) HOSTS BAJA SAE COMPETITION





Officials from Pittsburg State University and the City of Pittsburg gathered on Thursday to announce that PSU will once again host Baja SAE – Kansas. The event, which will draw thousands of competitors from across the U.S. and numerous other countries, is set for May 22-25, 2014.

"We are very excited to once again host this important event," said PSU President Steve Scott. "Hosting Baja SAE – Kansas allows us to showcase our university and our community for visitors from around the world. The fact that PSU was chosen to host the event just three years after hosting it for the first time is a testament to the strong spirit of cooperation between the university and the community."

The competition will attract 100 teams from universities across the globe including those from Egypt, Canada, Mexico, South Korea, Argentina, Venezuela, Bangladesh and India.

Baja SAE consists of competitions that simulate real-world engineering design projects and their related challenges. Engineering students are tasked with designing and building an off-road vehicle that will survive the severe punishment of rough terrain. The competition involves designing, planning and manufacturing.

For more information, please visit: http://bit.ly/1eVcGyf







## DOMINICAN UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA (CA) ANNOUNCES NEW ONE YEAR MBA PROGRAM



Dominican University of California, just 14 miles north of the San Francisco Golden Gate Bridge, is pleased to announce a brand new one year MBA program. The new MBA program includes internship opportunities, the ability to select a concentration in one of three areas:

Global Business, Strategic Leadership, or Sustainability, and a Global Consultancy Practicum, an opportunity to gain real-world experience. Generous merit scholarships available to both domestic and international students.

For more information, please visit: http://bit.ly/18oRyPP







Contact an EducationUSA adviser near you for guidance on finding and applying to an accredited U.S. college or university. <a href="EducationUSA.state.gov">EducationUSA.state.gov</a> (Note: students must apply for financial aid directly with the institution listed)

An archive of these and other past financial aid and news announcements is available at <a href="EducationUSA.info/financial-aid">EducationUSA.info/financial-aid</a>
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